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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Matthew D. Larson

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Art Unit: 2191

For: SOFTWARE MONITORING SYSTEM FOR  
THE POLLING OF PROCESSES TO  
DETERMINE THE PRESENTLY  
EXECUTING FUNCTION

Examiner: P. H. Nguyen

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 4 - 9, and 11 - 14, please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.